A SHOWER OF HOT BIRD SHOT.

Inhabitants of Santa Cruz, California, Experience Wonder.ul Phenomenon-N.etallic Rain Due to Meteor.

Santa Cruz, Cal., Jan. 6.—It rained be the result of the dropping of little het bird shot at Santa Cruz today for het globules on the damp shingles, nearly an hour, according to Mrs. W. Shower leasted an Haus. Burns and her neighbors. Some of shot have been preserved.

Made Barefoot Children Dance. Mrs. Burna curlosity was aroused to-ny by the peculiar antics of a numbarefoot children who were them what was the matter, her that the air was full of ty and that hot shot were fall-the clouds. She then heard a made house top that sounded and she saw little wite

An Exploded Meteor? One theory to account for the phe-nomenon was that the metallic rais was due to a meteor. about the size of No. 8 shot and re

Purchaser of Old Material Found Actor's Strengousness Cost Him Re-Really Good Investment.

John Roberts of Walkins, Schuyler chased of Angelo Dupree, a junk deal- concerning his acting in this play an er, an old pump for ten cents. It was amusing story is told. He was acapparently of no value, but he thought corded a "benefit" one night, and sethere might be some parts that he Jected "David Garrick." In this comcould use in his business. When Mr. edy, it will be remembered, Garrick Roberts and his assistant took the feigns drunkenness, and in the drawpump to one of the wells they were ing-room at Ada Ingot's he disgusts they were greatly surprised to see havoc with the tea service. Just begold coins drop out of the holes they fore this scene it was discovered that and found \$4,000, nearly all in \$20 necessary crockery, and a messenger gold pieces. Whom the pump belonged was dispatched to a neighboring house to at the time the money was hidden, to borrow some teacups, etc. The or how long it had been there, is a worthy lady applied to had beard of the coins was 1888. Mr. Roberts at ious to display her treasure, sent back once deposited his find in the Farm- her best china ten service, a family ers and Merchants' bank at Watkins. beirloom of great value. That night He is willing to surrender the find to Sothern was playing with unusual enanyone who can prove ownership, but ergy, and very soon the precious porno claimant has yet appeared. The celain was smashed in fragments and junk man will make a memorandum to scattered about the stage. The old examine the inside of every old pump | lady's indignation may be imagined, and before disposing of it at any price .- to her death she maintained that Soth-Utica (N. Y.) Press.

What He Meant, An old sen captain was visiting a certain exhibition, and was greatly in terested in the mechanical section, where a fine array of steam whistles was on show. "How far can that one be heard?" he asked, pointing to a huge "buzzer." The young man in attendance was only a deputy, but he promptly replied: "Sixteen miles." "Sixteen miles?" said the old salt increduously. "When I say 16 miles," elaborated the youth, "I mean eight miles this way and eight miles that way."

Splendid.

"That's a fine looking maid you have Mow. dear." "Yes, she's a darling, and she came to me highly recommended."

"Knows all about the latest styles of maiding, I suppose?" "Oh, so far as knowing the duties

of a maid goes, I don't suppose she knows a thing." "But she came highly recommended,

"Yes, she broke the jaw of the last man who tried to hiss her."-Houston Shower Lasted an Hour.

Shower Lasted an Hour.

This molten rain continued from about 2 to 4 o'clock in the afternoon, and varied in intensity. At one time the children, who were bareheaded and mashed, were compelled to take to cover. One boy carries a burn on his finger where one of these hot pellets struck him.

\$4,000 RETURN ON TEN CENTS. PROPERTIES ALL TOO COSTLY. gard of Worthy Lady.

David Garrick was the part best county, a well driller, recently pur loved by the late E. A. Sothern, and drilling and started breaking it up, the guests at the tea table, and plays They at once finished the job, the stage manager had forgotten the mystery. The latest date of one of the fame of the great actor, and, anxern must have been really drunk, "for no sober man would have smashed such lovely china."

The Peculiar Camel.

A peculiarity of the camel is his dislikes-likes he has none, save for mimosa thern and perhaps for dying. He hates red, and when in the first Nile expedition in 1884 some bright genius equipped the squadrons of the camel corps with bright crimson saddles, the animals so resented the out rage that numbers of them gave up the ghost in sheer disgust. He always, of course, hates man, and sometimes displays his vindictiveness in no uncertain manner. I have seen a dignified and elderly British officer, footing it all around the camp in blue silk the archdeacon of whom Dean Hole pajamas, closely pursued by his own tells may be considered to have animal growling horribly, with its long neck stretched to the utmost and its savage mouth much too near that sleeping suit to be pleasant. At length a fatigue party was summoned who. with telegraph poles, young trees. railway sleepers and such affection ate cajoleries prevailed upon the foe to desist.-From T. P.'s Weekly.

Mrs. David D. Coolinge of Athol.

HEIR TO A MILLION.

There could be no mistake, the lawer assured him. They had carefully nvestigated this matter and had ound him after diligent search. The thing for him to do now was to enjoy

his good fortune.

And enjoy it he did with all that money could buy. His house and its furnishings were of the finest, his stables were well stocked and many

Keep Course with Marvelous Directness, Guided by Sound.

Just as some professional singers with magnificent voices never learn to sing in perfect tune, so do the trainers of really fine swimmers often find it impossible that men with every made or taught to swim even in an approximately straight line.

Many a splendid swimmer is beat- to her. en on this account, for his inveterate habit of getting off his course naturally gives him a roundabout journey. But the remarkable fact remains that blind swimmers of whom there are in this country a considerable number in connection with various institutions for persons so afflicted-universally and without exception swim with marvelous directness; indeed, in as perfectly straight a line as is humanly possible, even when the distance cov-

ered is very considerable. Blind swimmers can, it appears, on hearing a noise in any given direction not only swim absolutely straight to the point whence the noise proceeds, but when left to themselves their steering is just as accurate.

Scotland's Patron Saint.

tion has been asked many times, but |-- Cleveland Plain Degler, discovered the most satisfactory solution of the problem. "Gentlemen," said he (he was speaking at a St. Andrew's day banquet at the time), "I have given this difficult subject my thoughtful consideration, and I have come to the conclusion that St. Andrew was chosen to be the patron and fishes."

The man felt some one clutch his arm.

"You're just the one I've wanted to see. Been looking for you for days. Your uncle has just died and left you heir to a million dollars."

"My uncle—died—a million dollars."

"My uncle—died—a million dollars."

"You're gasped the man. "You've mistaken your man, sir; I have no such convenient uncle."

"Of course you didn't know you had But it's gospel truth. Your name is William Richards, ian't it?"

"You're right, but—"

"No buts; come with me."

In a dazed fashion he followed the lawyer, overwhelming him with questions, but getting little satisfaction. All he could loarn was that a certain Charles Richards, rich mine owner in the far west, had died and named his will have followed the lawyer, overwhelming him with questions, but getting little satisfaction. All he could loarn was that a certain Charles Richards, rich mine owner in the far west, had died and named his will be far the light have followed the lawyer, overwhelming him with questions, but getting little satisfaction. All he rould loarn was that a certain Charles Richards, rich mine owner in the far west, had died and named his will be far the light had bout that a will be far the light had bout that a will be far the light had bout the men for the lawyer, overwhelming him with questions, but getting little satisfaction. All he could loarn was that a certain Charles Richards, rich mine owner in the far west, had died and named his will be far the light had bout him, as be often did.

"You're just the was giving a grand ball. The rich and the beautiful were there. He was standing a little apart the men is the was standing a little apart the men, in the men is the was standing a little apart the men, in the men is the was standing a little apart the men is the was standing a little apart the men is the was standing a little apart the men is the was standing a little apart the men is the men is the men is the men is the was sta Forget it, Slippery Richards, and come along with me peaceably,"

He was spread full length on a hard park bench, on which he now remembered flinging himself some time be-

BLIND PEOPLE SWIM STRAIGHT. PAPA IN HIS BOYHOOD DAYS. Not the Paragon of Virtue He Would Like Sons to Be.

There is a dear old lady in up-town home who doesn't take much stock in new-fangled surgery. More especially she snills at the theory that wayward boys can be cured of their bad quality for racing otherwise can be inclinations by having their brains nicked with a knife.

The other day her grandson came "Grandma," he said, "was papa :

pretty naughty boy when he was as old as we?" "I'm sorry to say he was, Georgie. He headed all the michief for miles

around." "Now. George's father. "It wasn't quite as of chalk, or of a place of perforated

"You know it was, James," retorted the old lady. "And I won't have you | vals, ascertained by experience, of one holding yourself up as a model for bour's burning duration, so that when your boys."

"Say, grandma," Georgie interrupted, "do you think it would have done papa any good if the doctor had cut sun fints he turns out in a given time. into his head like mamma was reading about?" The old lady laughed.

"In the first place, they couldn't you?" have caught him," she said. "And in Why was St. Andrew chosen as the the next place they would have had to patron saint of Scotland? This quest cut off his head to do him any good."

Keep Your ___ Ground. In walking about the Australian gold fields it is always advisable to keep your eyes on the ground. You can never tell when you may kick up a murder the styles entirely. nugget-or full down a deserted shaft. From. Tarragulla, a district that has do it.

been very prolific in valuable nuggets, comes news of a remarkable find. A saint of Scotland because he dis. man walking across the fields picked covered the lad who had the loaves up what he thought was a mushroom. It proved to be a nugget and contained £50 worth of gold.

PRESCRIPTION HURT SALE OF MEDICINES

Simple Recipe to Make Home-made Harmiess Kidney Cure.

To make up enough of the "Dande-lion treatment," which is claimed to be relieving nearly every sufferer who uses it for backache, kidder complaint, sore, weak bladder and rheumatism get from any good prescription phar-macy one-half ounce Fluid Extract Dandellon, one ounce Compound Kargon and three ounces Compound Syrup of Sarsaparilla. Shake well in a bot-tle and take in teaspoonful doses after "You're right," he said in a dazed ishion; "has some one died and left to a million dolars?"

"You've been talking about that dillion dollars for the last half hour lorget it. Slippery Richards, and before you callze it. Many cases of the many cases are the many rheumatism are known to have been With a sudden crash the music stopped, the gay scene vanished and Richards opesed his eyes.

This simple recipe is said to

money could buy. His house and its furnishings were of the finest, his stables were well stocked and many aervants did his bidding. Life to him was a pleasant thing. He mingled with the best society and soon became of the most popular young men in the city.

After a time he met her, the beautiful woman who became his wife, and shared with him his strangely acquired fortune.

He had long since ceased to wonder at it.

His life was a round of gayety and enjoyment.

The next time you steal a few coal thousands, wait till night to do your sleeping and dreaming, friend," said the officer in joylal tones, as he thought of the big reward soon to be his for capturing the far-famed Slippery Richards.—Boston Post.

The life was a cinch, the jungle specific part of the kidneys so that they can filter and strain from the bildod and system the poisons, acids and waste matter, which cause not only Rheumatism, but numerous other diseases. Every man or woman here healthy and active, or who suffers from any urinary trouble whatever, should not hesitate to make up this long to the big reward soon to be his for capturing the far-famed Slippery Richards.—Boston Post.

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Assop Up to Date.

sports decided to repeat the rabbittortoise race where they could get a good audience.

So they re-Marathoned It, giving a large purse to the winner and a slightdid better this time and the result was . reversed. And so both got vaudeville engage-

ments, for both were champions. And nobedy took much interest in either of them after that. Moral-The race is not always to

professionals.

An Old-World Clock. One of the most remarkable sur-

vivals of primitive time-measuring appliances in England may be found today among the flint knappers of Brandon. It consists of a candle stuck into mother," remonstrated a candle stick, often made of a lump draught brick. Into the candle are fixed tiny splinters of fint at intera splinter drops the knapper knows he is thus able to ascertain how many

> Won't Catch Anything. "You have the alarm clock I gave 'Yes, suh," answered Mr. Erastus

"And you set it every night?"

ain' cotched nuffin' yet!" International Criticism.

Pat-Sure, and in Scotland they Bridget-Sure, and how do they

Pat-Why, they're kilt entirely.

the Trinity Congregational church, of East Orange, has accepted the secretaryship of the American board of Managine commissioners for foreign missions.

ENGLAND'S MANY DEER PARKS. Four Hundred of Them Are Said to Dot the Little Island.

"A park without a deer," wrote Richard Jeffries, "is like a wall without a picture," and it is something to know that in England there are 400 parks containing deer; that they average hundreds and some of them thou sands of acres, and that Yorkshire, Gloucestershire, Straffordshire, Northants and Sussex have more inclosed land given up to deer than any other counties.

There is something peculiarly national about our deer parks, for soon after the Conquest the barons began to inclose parks within the forests and to include within them all the wild animals that could then be secured. Of these the 2,500 acres of park at Eridge is the only one mentioned in Domesday book as containing deer then as it does now.

In that now scarce book, Shirley's In that now scarce book, Shirley's
"English Deer Parks," 48 parks 10.0
Mentloned which no longer contain the second which no longer contain the second which no longer contain the second wines. Believely, Tel. 186-6. deer, but since that book was published in 1867 several parks have been stocked which did not then contain deer, and there are others in which the deer have been given up.-London Daily Graphic.

WOMAN PULLS HEAVIEST LOAD.

Point of View Which Is Seldom Given Adequate Consideration.

For centuries woman has been, with comparatively few exceptions, a playly smaller one to the loser. The bare thing or drudge; overindulged in pleasure and idleness, or cursed with a burden whose weight few men can conceive. A system that places upon woman's shoulders three-quarters of the burden is inevitably degrading. A man receives credit for supporting his family even when the wife, by workthe swift, but the boodle goes to the ing early and late, contrives to turn his earnings into a value treble that of the original amount. The difference in the value of a barrel of flour as it is purchased and after it has been made into bread has been reckoned many times-but "the man," and not the woman, "supports the family." Nor is a woman's work done when an income has been stretched to its limit. If a money value could be placed upon her work as mother and wifenot that any one wishes to do such a thing-it would indeed be clear that the woman pulls the heaviest part of the load. That such a condition should has worked one hour, and so on, and | carry with it its antithesis in the woman who is a drone and a rattle brain is but natural.-Collier's Weekly.

Wherein Girls Are Superior to Boys. At an early age the boy begins to practice on the outside world with his hand and eye, and while he is throwing, cutting, hammering, calculating distance and playing competitive "Yes, suh. But tain' no use. I been games the girl is sitting at home in a settin' it reglar foh two weeks an' I pretty frock. But in activities not requiring great strength and speed the boy is not superior. The fastest typist in the world is to-day a woman; the record for roping steers (a feat where the horse does the heavy work), is held by a woman; and any one who will watch girls making change before the pneumatic tubes in the great department stores about Christmas time Rev. Samuel Brewer Eddy, pastor of 'will experience the same wonder one arch, of feels on first seeing a professional

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ran to the house and found that a lit-

tle boy had swallowed a quarter, and

his mother, not knowing what to do

caught the little fellow by the hoels.

and, holding him up, gave him a few

shakes, whereupon the coin dropped

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Atchison Clobe Reveals Secret. In all the cafes and beer halls of A former chief of police of Atch-Germany a large canister is placed on inon, the Globe says, had a wide repua table in the center of each establish tation because he was not afraid of ment. Every time one of the guests women. When a mad woman called lights a fresh cigar be gots up and on him and said, haughtily: "I called deposits in the canister the end of the to see you about a little matter," he one he has just been smoking. This promptly replied: "I am glad you did. receptacle is a sort of alms-box with There is a good deal of complaint in a funnel-shaped lid, secured by means your neighborhood about your temper, of a padiock. A charitable association and I want to say that if I hear any supplies all places of public resort more about it I will put a stop to it in with these boxes for the purpose of a way you won't like," etc., etc. In collecting odds and ends of tobacco, short, the secret is that the chief cigarettes and cigars. The produce chewed the rag first, and kept at it. of the sale is devoted to the purchase without giving the woman a chance of clothing, which is distributed to say a word. Men should remember among poor children at Christmas this when approached by a mad wom-The charity is believed to be the most an, the man should attack first, and

maledorous and unsanitary on record keep quarreling until the woman cries. Malta's Pest in Muskrat.

On the subject of gymnastics and Malta's objectionable pest is the golf Capt. Hutchison, who holds a common muskrat. He intrudes inte gymnastic appointment in the Cold every house, and everything he stream Guards, reports: "While act touches is impregnated with the odos ually going through five hours' daily from which he derives his name. If he work in the gymnasium I found that enters a larder be is more destructhe heavy work was certainly dotri tive than a dozen cats. In a wine celmental to golf. But I think that it far he is wome than a dishonest buteventually proved of the greatest as ler. From pure wantenness he taints mistance, as it strengthened the must and renders unestable everything with cles of the wrist god forearm, which in his reach. He will ruin dozens of play such an important part in all bottles of beer by merely running over golfing strokes. I found it necessary them, so powerful and at the same to shorten my swing a little, and took time so penstrating is his offensive to the overlapping or Vardon grip, two odor. This Maltese muskrat is a changes that certainly improved my squeaking little animal, who adds to his evil ways by disturbing the repose of the victims of his depredations.

Two Kinds of Criticisms.

"I am going to read you my sonnet to 'Persephone's Left Elbow,"" announced Miss Amma Teuritre to her betrothed. "I want you to give me a perfectly frank criticism, just the was frantic. The revenue officer know me at all." simple truth, as though you did not

When she had finished, her lover spoke solemnly: "I do not dare to speak frankly, but I will say that there is a trace of a hint of a possible grateful mother, "you certainly know future promise."

"No, madam," replied the official, "I'm freight handler who has worshiped her for years and who declared that the sonnet was finer's silk

made a major on the staff of Governor Lalley of Connecticut. Thus it happens that a line of great military chieftains starved to death in an attle at Tann-Mary Clynn, aged 22 years, who is to be perpetuated.—Houston (Tex.) ton, Mass., left \$3,500 to church and Post.

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Dr. Channing H. Cook, of Saint Louis, Mo., says: "I have used your Castoria for several years past in my own family and have always phia, Pa., says: "The name that found it thoroughly efficient and never objected to by children, which is a great consideration in view of the fact that most n.edicines of this character are obnoxious and therefore difficult of administration. As a laxative I

your Castoria often for infants ria every day for children who are during my practice and find it suffering from constipation, with better effect than I receive from any other combination of drugs." Dr. H. J. Taft, of Brooklyn, N.

> ria and found it an excellent remedy in my household and private practice for many years. The formula is excellent." Dr. Wm. L. Bosserman, of Buffalo, N. Y., says: "I am pleased to speak a good word for your Casto-

ria. I think so highly of it that I

Y., says: "I have used your Casto-

but have used it in my own family.' Dr. F. H. Kyle, of St. Paul, Minn., says : "It affords me pleasure to add my name to the long list of those who have used and now endorse your Castoria. The fact of the ingredients being known through the printing of the formula on the wrapper is one good and sufficient reason for the recommendation of any physician. I know of its good qualities and re-

commend it cheerfully."

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Dr. B. Halstead Scott, of Chica-Dr. L. O. Morgan, of So. Amboy, go, Ill., says: "I have prescribed N. J. says: "I prescribe your Casto-

thirty years of practice I can say I never have found anything that so filled the place."

Dr. R. J. Hamlen, of Detroit, Mich., says : I prescribe your Cas-Dr. Howard Jumes, of New York, toria extensively as I have never City, says: "It is with great pleas- found anything to equal it for chilure that I desire to testify to the dren's troubles. I am aware that there are imitations in the field, but

> consider it the peer of anything that I ever prescribed."